

In re application of: Klagsbrun et al.

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For: PEPTIDE ANTAGONISTS OF VASCULAR ENDOTHELIAL GROWTH FACTOR

## CLAIMS

Claims 1 - 3 (Cancelled)

Claim <sup>2</sup>~~4~~ (Currently Amended) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a polypeptide of claim <sup>1</sup>~~15~~ and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

Claim <sup>3</sup>~~8~~ (Original) The pharmaceutical composition of claim <sup>2</sup>~~4~~, wherein the carrier is acceptable for topical application to the skin.

Claim <sup>4</sup>~~6~~ (Original) The pharmaceutical composition of claim <sup>2</sup>~~4~~, wherein the carrier is acceptable for application to the eye.

Claims 7 - 14 (Cancelled)

Claim <sup>1</sup>~~18~~ (New) An isolated polypeptide consisting of amino acids 22-44 of SEQ ID NO: 1 and fragments thereof having VEGF antagonist activity.

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